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SUBJ/NAVY MARINE CORPS INTRANET INDUSTRY SYMPOSIUM CONFERENCE//

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1. THIS MESSAGE ANNOUNCES THE DIRECTOR, NAVY MARINE CORPS
INTRANET (NMCI) HOSTED NMCI INDUSTRY SYMPOSIUM TO BE HELD 17-19 JUN
03, AT THE SHERATON NEW ORLEANS, 500 CANAL STREET, NEW ORLEANS, LA
70130.

2. EXECUTIVE SUMMARY: NMCI IS THE DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY (DON)
STRATEGIC INITIATIVE TO PROCURE BASIC IT CAPABILITIES IN A SEAT
MANAGED SERVICE CONTRACT. THIS INITIATIVE WILL COMBINE HUNDREDS OF
DISPARATE NETWORKS INTO AN ENTERPRISE-WIDE DON INTRANET. NMCI MARKS
THE BEGINNING OF A DON SHIFT AWAY FROM SINGLE POINT SOLUTIONS TO
ENTERPRISE-WIDE SOLUTIONS WHERE APPROPRIATE. THE PURPOSE OF THE
NMCI INDUSTRY SYMPOSIUM IS TO START A THREE-WAY DIALOG AMONG NMCI
USERS, THE INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (IT) INDUSTRY AND DON IT
LEADERSHIP THAT STIMULATES THIS CHANGE IN STRATEGY. COMMANDS ARE
ENCOURAGED TO SEND THEIR IT LEADERS. THEIR PARTICIPATION IS VITAL
TO MAKING THIS DIALOG PRODUCTIVE.

3. THE NMCI INDUSTRY SYMPOSIUM WILL CONSIST OF A SERIES OF SPEAKING
EVENTS, PANEL DISCUSSIONS, AND A TRADE SHOW. OVER 50 IT VENDORS ARE
EXPECTED TO DEMONSTRATE THEIR LATEST IT SOLUTIONS. HIGHLIGHTS OF
SPEAKING SERIES INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING:

STATUS OF NMCI CONTRACT

NMCI AND THE FUTURE OF GOVERNMENT IT SOURCING

NMCI ARCHITECTURAL STANDARDS

NMCI AND INTEGRATION WITH IT-21 AND OCONUS BASE LEVEL INFORMATION

INFRASTRUCTURE (BLII) PROGRAMS

NMCI SECURITY PANEL DISCUSSION

DON IT LEADERSHIP PANEL DISCUSSION

NUMEROUS BREAKOUT SESSIONS ON A VARIETY OF NMCI RELATED TOPICS

4. THE SYMPOSIUM OFFERS NMCI USERS A UNIQUE OPPORTUNITY TO COMMAND
THE ATTENTION OF THE IT INDUSTRY. DIRECTOR NMCI ENCOURAGES YOUR
PARTICIPATION TO HELP CLEARLY ARTICULATE THE CURRENT AND EMERGING
REQUIREMENTS OF NMCI USERS TO INDUSTRY.

5. CONFERENCE INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AT: WWW.NMCI.NAVY.MIL CLICK
ON THE INDUSTRY INFO LINK.//

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